Morgan County Commission Meeting October 28, 2020

Members present:

Commissioner Joel Tuttle, President Commissioner Reed Commissioner Forney

Staff Present:

Stefanie Allemong, County Administrator Anna Padilla, Commission Secretary/Grants Administrator

Public Present: See attached sign in sheet

The meeting was opened by Commissioner Joel Tuttle, at 6:04

Agenda Items

Resolution approval to support the West Virginia Records Management Preservation Board FY2021-22 Grant

Commissioner Forney made a motion to approve the Resolution in support of the West Virginia Records Management and Preservation Board Grant Program for \$26,000 with a 10% match of \$2,600. President Tuttle voted yea, Commissioner Reed voted yea and Commissioner Forney voted yea. Motion carried.

Public Hearing Comcast Franchise Agreement

President Tuttle opened the public hearing requesting comments. James Sack from the Northwoods Subdivision spoke with regard in reaching out to other potential providers, no responses yet. Commissioner Tuttle reached out to Comcast and received clarification on the nonexclusive franchise agreement and is unable to present the public the trunk line maps. Commission will sign the nondisclosure agreement for the Commission to see Comcast trunkline maps. Ron Martin, owner of Morgan County Wireless explained in detail how broadband and trunk lines work. All parties will continue to explore other options to expand broadband service throughout Morgan County including looking into federal funding opportunities that may be available. The public hearing was adjourned. No action taken.

Adjourn

President Tuttle 6:47 pm.

Minutes submitted by: A.Padilla